

Jon Babin

# *A Musical Journey*

With performances in Galway, Killarney, Dublin  
& The Cavern Club Liverpool

September 21 - October 2, 2024

\$4,425 Per Person Double Occupancy from Chicago



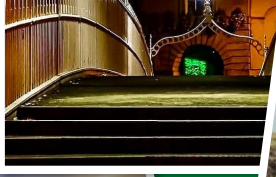
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## Day by Day Itinerary

### Sat., Sept. 21 – CHICAGO

Today we depart Chicago's O'Hare International Airport on the non-stop flight to Dublin, Ireland. (I)

### Sun., Sept. 22 – DUBLIN / GALWAY

This morning we'll arrive in the historic, capital city of Dublin where we'll meet our Driver/Guide who will accompany us on tour. We'll begin with a visit to the iconic Glasnevin Cemetery with an included lunch and perhaps for the best pint of Guinness in the famous Gravediggers Pub. Then we'll journey across Ireland to Galway, the City of Tribes, and our hotel. This afternoon we will join Galway guide Brian Nolan for a walking tour of the city, a truly entertaining and engaging way to see and experience the history and culture and characters of Galway. This evening dinner is included at our hotel. (B,D)

### Mon., Sept. 23 – GALWAY

Today we venture into rugged Connemara, a region of ancient stone walls and sheep. We will visit Kylemore Abbey, a haven for history, beauty, and serenity. As we make our way back to Galway, we'll travel to Cong for "The Quiet Man Tour," a walking tour with a local guide to see locations from the movie featuring John Wayne and Maureen O'Hara, filmed in the village in 1952. We return to Galway this afternoon and this evening we'll enjoy an evening performance by Jon. (B)

### Tues., Sept. 24 – GALWAY

The day is free in Galway to enjoy the music, charm and banter of the local characters as you shop and explore the city. In the evening, we join Brian Nolan once again for his Tales in the Pub where he'll whisk us off on a magical journey through Ireland's history and culture through stories, folklore and music. We'll be invited to pour our own pint of Guinness as Brian entertains and informs us on everything Irish. (B)

### Wed., Sept. 25 – GALWAY / KILLARNEY

After breakfast we say goodbye to Galway and travel the Wild Atlantic way through the limestone fields of the Burren in the Banner County of Clare. Along the way we'll make a stop at Gus O'Connor's Pub in Doolin to allow time for the best fish and chips in the world and a creamy pint, before arriving at the Cliffs of Moher to enjoy spectacular views. Even when shrouded in mist or buffeted by gales, the Cliffs of Moher are a breath-taking sight as they rise to a height of 700 feet from out of the Atlantic. After our visit, we'll cross the River Shannon by ferry to and enter the Kingdom of Kerry to arrive in the lovely town of Killarney. Dinner is included this evening. (B,D)

### Thurs., Sept. 26 – KILLARNEY

Today we will experience one of the world's greatest coastal drives as we explore the Dingle Peninsula, the



wildest part of Ireland's Wild Atlantic Way, home to some of the most ancient and traditional aspects of Irish culture. Relax and enjoy the amazing scenery of ancient hills and incredible sea cliffs. We'll visit the thriving fishing port of Dingle to explore at your leisure. Be sure to try the seafood chowder that County Kerry is famous for! This evening we enjoy dinner and a performance by Jon at the iconic Danny Mann's pub. (B)

### Fri., September 27 – KILLARNEY

Today we'll enjoy a Jaunting Car ride through the amazing scenery of Killarney National Park. We'll see the medieval gem, Ross Castle, looking proudly over the vast expanse of Lough Leane for over 500 years, while delighting in the wit and knowledge or our local jarvey. This afternoon we are let loose in Killarney to poke around the shops or find a pub and enjoy the craic that Killarney is famous for. (B)

### Sat., Sept. 28 – KILLARNEY / DUBLIN

With Killarney in the rearview mirror we make our way to Blarney for a visit to fabled Blarney Castle. Here you'll have an opportunity to climb the steps of the fortress and kiss the world-famous Blarney Stone to gain the gift of eloquence, wit and wisdom. Just a stone's throw away we'll also visit the Blarney Woollen Mills, the largest emporium of Irish crafts in the country where we can browse the finely woven Irish woollen products or if you prefer, enjoy a pint in Christy's Pub - don't forget you are now in County Cork, where Murphy's and Beamish are the pints of choice. Our next destination is the Rock of Cashel. Set on a dramatic outcrop of limestone, the Rock of Cashel was once the seat of the High Kings of Munster, and where King Aengus, Ireland's first

ever Christian king, was baptized by St. Patrick himself. We'll continue across the beautiful countryside as we make our way to Dublin, the famous city on the River Liffey. (B)

### Sun., Sept. 29 – DUBLIN

This morning we'll pick up our local guide for an introductory tour of Dublin. In the Georgian Era, Dublin was considered the Second City of the British Empire. Then we'll head to the heart of Dublin to The Guinness Storehouse, where you might like to have some lunch and a pint of the black stuff. On our tour we'll see exhibits on how this world-famous stout was first created and why it is so popular today, and finish our visit in the rooftop bar, Gravity, overlooking the city center. We also visit Pearse Lyons Whiskey Distillery, built in the beautifully restored Church of St. James in Dublin's historic Liberties, where we'll enjoy a tour and whiskey tasting. This evening we enjoy another wonderful performance by Jon. (B)

### Mon., Sept. 30 – DUBLIN / LIVERPOOL

This morning we bid farewell to Dublin and Ireland as we board a ferry that will take us across the Irish Sea to the magical land of Wales. As we drive across Northern Wales we'll make a stop in delightful Conway Bay before arriving in Liverpool and our hotel for the last two nights on tour. (B,D)



### Tues., Oct. 1 – LIVERPOOL

This morning we'll embark on our own Magical Mystery Tour with our expert guide Jay Johnson - you may remember his brother, Holly Johnson, from the band "Frankie Goes to Hollywood." We'll see the former schools of John, Paul, George and Ringo including Liverpool Art College and LIPA, and their childhood homes, as well as the former home and school of The Beatles manager, Brian Epstein. We'll visit Penny Lane, and the many places mentioned in the song, including the bank, the barber shop and the shelter in the middle of the roundabout. We'll see St. Peter's Church Hall, where John and Paul met for the first time, Eleanor Rigby's grave, and of course, Strawberry Fields. We'll explore Mathew Street to see the many places associated with the Beatles, including the pubs where they went for a drink when the Cavern was a



coffee bar, and finish the tour at the legendary Cavern Club where The Beatles performed in the early 1960s. The afternoon is at leisure before we meet up again this evening for Jon's gig at the Cavern! (B)

### Wed., Oct. 2 - LIVERPOOL / CHICAGO

All too soon, our *Musical Journey* comes to an end as we transfer to Manchester's Airport to begin our journey home. No better time to reflect on memories that will last a lifetime and new friendships made along the way! (B,I)

\*\*\* Welcome Home \*\*\*

#### Meal Codes:

I = In-flight B = Breakfast D = Dinner

#### The Vacation Price Includes:

- Economy class round-trip air transportation from Chicago / Dublin: Manchester / Dublin / Chicago.
- Transportation by deluxe private motor coach with accompanying Driver/Guide
- Accommodations in 4-star hotels with private bath or shower
- Breakfast each morning, and other meals as indicated in the itinerary
- Sightseeing as detailed in the itinerary including entrance fees where necessary
- Luggage handling and portage charges for one suitcase per person at hotels
- Taxes for included ground services and U.S. departure taxes, Customs service charges, airline security fees, and fuel surcharges

**The Vacation Price Does Not Include:** Items of a personal nature such as passport fees; laundry and cleaning; telephone calls; optional tours and excursions; tips to the Driver/guide and local guides, tips to hotel and breakfast room staff; luggage handling at airports; travel protection; meals other than those stated above, and drinks with meals other than breakfast.

## TOUR CONDITIONS

**TOUR DEPOSIT AND PAYMENT:** Payment is accepted by personal or bank checks. Credit cards can be accepted for payment(s); however, the vacation price reflects a 4% cash discount. Please call InterTrav at 630-377-5840 to arrange payment by credit card; 4% of the payment amount will be assessed on credit card payments. **YOU WILL BE INVOICED FOR THE BALANCE OF PAYMENT DUE ON OR BEFORE FRIDAY, JUNE 21, 2024**

**ARRANGEMENTS:** The tour price is based on a minimum participation of 24 persons and includes planning, and operational charges and is quoted on the current rate of exchange, tariff rates and airfares in effect as of November 1, 2023. In the event of a marked increase in foreign currency or in tariff rates, the cost is subject to revision.

**TOUR PRICING:** This is a package tour in which group airfares and land tour costs have been combined in the most advantageous way. Should you wish to deviate from the package tour by changing your departure and/or return dates of travel, this will eliminate the advantages of the package tour price. There will be a service charge of \$100 per person for altering the airline itinerary, plus any additional charges assessed by the airlines.

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## RESERVATION FORM

Please reserve \_\_\_\_\_ places for me/us on the **Jon Babin Musical Journey Tour**.

Enclosed is my/our check in the amount of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ (\$500 deposit per person).

**IMPORTANT:** Please see the included flyer for information regarding Travel Protection, and please complete the Insurance Enrollment Form and return with your tour reservation application.

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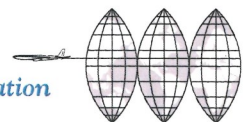
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